

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Canceled)

1. (currently amended) An input method comprising:

one or more users having browsers for accessing a server based in a network, and

at least one of said users inputting characters by accessing said server via one of said browsers;

downloading an applet from said server, in which said applet has a dynamic user interface generator, an input method selecting interface module, and a network interface module;

selecting proper language and input method by using said input method selecting interface module, and sending selected information to said server;

12 said server sends an input interface layout to said client according to

13 selected information;

14 said dynamic user interface generator generates an user interface

15 based on the input interface layout;

16 inputting characters via said generated user interface and sending

17 said characters to said server;

18 said server recognizes the received characters, and sends the recognized

19 results to the client;

20 displaying the results in the input interface of the client.

2. (canceled)

1 3. (original) The input method according to claim 1, characterized in

2 that:

3 the step of said server sending an input interface layout to said client
4 according to selected information further includes:

5 an input user interface loader in the server reads one or more user
6 interface information from an input method engine pool, according to the
7 selected one or more input method, and then configures the appropriate
8 input user interface layout.

1 4. (currently amended) The input method according to claim 12,
2 characterized in that:

3 the step of said server recognizing the received characters, and sending the
4 recognized results to the client further includes:

5 an user profile manager selects and manages information sent from
6 different clients;

7 an operation manager selects an input method engine from an input
8 method engine pool to recognize the input characters;

9 a communicator sends the recognized result to the client.

1 5. (new) The input method according to claim 4, characterized in
2 that:

3 a balance scheduler allocates the user requests to a plurality of
4 servers.

1 6. (new) The input method according to claim 5, characterized in
2 that:

3 the information sent from the client is stored in an user profile which
4 has a history area for storing previous recognized candidates, and a current
5 input area for storing the candidates of the current recognizing characters

1 7. (new) The input method according to claim 6, characterized in
2 that:

3 a multi-input method combiner in the server combines the different
4 recognized candidates of different input methods.

1 8. (new) The input method according to claim 7, characterized in
2 that:

3 said multi-input method combiner obtains the recognized results by
4 intersecting the recognized candidates of different input methods.

1 9. (new) The input method according to claim 6, characterized in
2 that:

3 a postprocessor based on language model in the server forecasts the
4 recognizing character based on the recognized candidates.